AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1 - 154. (Canceled)

155. (currently amended): A self-compensating dynamic balancer apparatus for a disk player having rotational components for rotating a disk about a rotation axis to record and reproduce information from the disk, said apparatus comprising:

a self-compensating dynamic balancer locatable co-axial with said rotation axis to rotate in use with at least one of said rotational components, said self-compensating dynamic balancer comprising a mobile unit arranged to be freely movable within a non-magnetic hollow tube by centrifugal force generated by rotation of said disk such that the center of gravity of said self-compensating dynamic balancer moves to be located opposite to the center of gravity of said disk with respect to said rotation axis; and

wherein:said mobile unit includes at least one rigid body.

A self-compensating dynamic balancer apparatus for a disk player which records and reproduces information from a disk installed on said disk player, said apparatus comprising:

a self-compensating dynamic balancer comprising:

a non-magnetic hollow tube; and